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SECOND, JANUARY SALE OF WHITE

The Best Assortment We Will Have in 1906



THE year 1906 is destined to be the greatest "white" year we have ever experienced. Fashion has decreed that ladies shall appear in white entirely, even to shoes, headwear and linen parasols. The purpose of this sale is to supply all needed materials, in our line, at a price which will make it a pleasure for her to open the purse string. From every section of the country we have gathered together the authoritative styles until our showing will be an exposition of unusual interest.

Nor will the showing consist of materials for ladies' wear only. The supplies for her home have received no second consideration, and table linens, sheetings, quilts and the like will be much underpriced for the sale. Everything will be nicely displayed and every lady will find it a pleasure and profit to visit the store during the sale which will continue throughout January.

Valenceinnes Laces at a Bargain

This lot consists of 12 yard pieces of Valenceinnes laces which would sell at 7c, 8c, 9c and 10c the yard. By selling them by the piece we lose nothing by remnants and loss in measuring and you have 12 yards for what 6 to 10 yards would cost you. Twelve yards for..... **59c**

Nainsook Flouncings--Another Bargain

12 inch wide Nainsook flouncing--deeply embroidered--designs are all new and edges are made to wear. 40c the yard would be considered a big value ordinarily but we make the price on this item to conform to your idea of a big bargain. Our sale price..... **32 1/2c**

Muslin Bargain--The result of the great lake storm

The recent disastrous storm on Lake Superior soiled a number of sheetings in a warehouse in Duluth. They got wet as a result of the backing up of the water in the bay. The water unfit them for market but not for use. Here are the prices. Quantity sold to each customer is limited.

Fine Bleached Muslin--yard wide--the present wholesale price is 6 1/2c the yard--we limit ten yards to each customer and make the price..... **5 3/4c**

OTHER WHITE SALE VALUES WHICH SHOULD INTEREST YOU

Cambric Muslin--yard wide cambric which will make nice undermuslins--our sale price will be..... **9 1/2c** Fine Cambric--soft and just the kind for fine sewing--the finish is splendid..... **11c**

Corset Cover Embroideries

This is a lot we consider ourselves fortunate in securing. They are very wide, are deeply embroidered, the work is beautifully executed and everything is such as will wear. If you paid 35c for these you would not pay their worth. Our sale price..... **27 1/2c**

All Over Embroideries

Fine Nainsook and Swiss all over embroideries which will sell regularly at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.50 the yard. Suitable patterns for waists and splendid designs for every purpose for which all over embroidery is to be used. As long as they last the price will be..... **89c**



Household Linens--Attractive Prices

This is the opportune time to buy linens for it is at this time of the year that you have the time to hem and hemstitch them. Our White Sale prices make it imperative that you buy them now if you would secure the lowest prices. We want our linens in every home in the city and we will place them there if you appreciate a low price on a good quality of material. Read the prices, then see the goods.

Table Sets--8 1/2 cloth--24 inch napkins--fine Scotch linen--complete for.....	\$7.50	Table Linen--half bleached German table linen--a beautiful \$1.00 quality--wears well.....	79c
Table Sets--12 1/2 cloth--24 inch napkins--fine Scotch linen--complete for.....	\$8.95	Table Linen--all pure linen damask--unbleached--good for every day wear.....	49c
Table Sets--fine Scotch linens--24 inch napkins--3 yard cloth--\$17.50 kind.....	\$14.50	Table Linen--bleached cotton damask which sells at 29c and is a value at the price.....	24c
Table Sets--best Scotch linen--2 1/2 yard cloth--24 inch napkin--\$15.00 kind.....	\$12.75	Linen Crash--a good bleached linen crash which will be sold at but.....	9 1/2c
Pattern Cloths--2 1/2 yard pattern cloths--sold at \$4.75--napkins to match if desired.....	\$4.19	Linen Crash--unbleached--a quality of superior merit for roller towels.....	10c
Napkins--large bleached napkins--a satisfactory quality--sell at \$3.00--now at.....	\$2.75	Towels--huck towels--16x32 inches--a good 10c number--our sale price is.....	8c
Napkins--one of our best--a quality of linen that will please in every way.....	\$4.25	Towels--18x36 complexion towels--all linen--fine for wear--20c qualities at but.....	16 3/4c
Table Linen--our best quality Scotch damask--wearing quality is assured.....	\$1.39	Towels--damask towels--all linen--22x45 inches--long knotted fringe--40c at.....	32 1/2c
Table Linen--a splendid Irish table linen--72 inches--laundries most excellently.....	\$1.10	Wash Cloths--Turkish wash cloths--pure white or with colored borders--value at 2 1/2c.....	1 1/2c

Muslin Undergarments--Never So Pretty

Even were our prices on muslin undergarments not considered it would be decidedly to your interest to see them. The assortment is better than we can show again this year; they are made as generous as you would have them were you making them and no lady can afford to make muslin undergarments when she considers the price at which we offer them. There are also qualities for the bride and the graduate.

Corset Covers--of good materials--two piece back--made full--12 rows of tucks in front.....	10c	Skirts--full skirts--6 inch flounce--6 rows of tucks--a value extraordinary at.....	42 1/2c
Corset Covers--lace trimmed--well made--pearl buttons--our sale price will be.....	14c	Skirts--of fine cambric--deep flounce--hemstitched and tucked.....	69c
Corset Covers--3 rows insertion--12 rows tucks--lace and ribbon trimmed.....	48c	Skirts--very full 9 inch flounce--5 deep tucks four rows of hemstitching.....	89c
Corset Covers--values unequalled at 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, and up to.....	\$2.50	Skirts--for the exacting lady at \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00 to.....	\$6.50
Drawers--of fine linen--made very full--three rows of hemstitching--two tucks.....	25c	Gowns--of good muslin--tucked and hemstitched yoke--neatly made--at.....	45c
Drawers--of cambric--deep ruffle--hemstitched, tucked--fancy stitched.....	48c	Gowns--tucked, hemstitched and lace trimmed--you will like it--sale price.....	69c
Drawers--made full with deep ruffle--lace and insertion and tucking as to trimmings.....	89c	Gowns--of fine cambric--trimmed with embroidery, tucked and hemstitched, a value at.....	\$1.10
Drawers--values not to be matched at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50 and up.....	\$3.00	Gowns--a display you should see at \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4 and.....	\$4.50
Chemise--a beautiful line inviting comparison at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and.....	\$5.00	Children's Drawers--all child's drawers will be offered at.....	1-3 off

Sheetings, Sheets, Cases, Long Cloths, Etc.

Space forbids us to make a complete list of all offerings, but we will have splendid bargains in long cloths, India linens, Nainsooks and the like. See them on display at the linen counter.

Pillow Cases--45x36 pillow cases of best quality--our sale price the pair.....	16 1/2c	Pepperel Sheetting--exceptional quality--10 1/4 at 27 1/2c, 9 1/4 at 25 1/2c, 8 1/4 at.....	23 1/2c
Sheets--72x90 fine sheets--torn and ironed--our sale price will be.....	69c	Pillow Tubing--50 inch pillow tubing--worth 22 1/2c on today's market.....	19c
Best Sheetting--fine but firm 10 1/4 wide at 30c, 9 1/4 wide at 27 1/2c, 8 1/4 wide at.....	25c	Best Muslin--the finest muslin made--yard wide--worth 17 1/2c at.....	16c

Look at these during the Sale

We are offering a number of articles during the sale which you must come to the store to learn about. They will be offered at very interesting prices. Must be seen to be appreciated.

Baby's Dresses--long slips or short dresses--sell from 25c to \$2.50 each.....	1/4 off	Fringed Table Cloths--plain and white with red borders--now.....	1/2 off
Finishing Braids--a lot of finishing braids selling at 8c regularly--now.....	5c	Crochet Spreads--a number of bargains in crochet spreads--get our prices during the sale.....	
Pearl Buttons--a large assortment of those selling at 8c regularly.....	6c	Pillow Casing--45 inch--the most popular quality made--our sale price.....	15c



Laces and Embroideries--You will Want

Never was there a prettier line of handsome and sensible embroideries shown in the city. Come in during the sale and see the display. You can not afford to miss it.

Cambric Embroideries--from 6 to 15 inch wide--the lot includes some corset cover embroideries and some wide bands for shirt waists, you will not pay half the worth at our sale price.....	15c	Cambric Embroideries--yes another lot and this is the popular priced lot. Wide ones that can be used so effectively in so many ways and narrower ones of finer materials--at.....	10c
Cambric Embroideries--splendid kinds--buying them in the regular way you would pay 25c for many we offer--for they are wide and have the prettiest of designs and serviceable edges--sale price.....	12 1/2c	Laces--Torchon and Platte valenceinnes laces for trimming underwear, gingham petticoats and dresses--a varied assortment of new patterns--see them on the table.....	25c

More opportunities to Save money--Read

First of all we will offer you our splendid line of fine imported Waistings and Swisses at a reduction during this sale. They are displayed on the front counters and you should see them

Habutai Silk--36 inches wide habutai silk--a very good weight.....	\$1.15	Mohair Waistings--white mohair waistings--plain and fancy figures.....	52 1/2c
Habutai Silk--27 inches wide--it will more than please at our sale price.....	47 1/2c	Shrunk Cotton--for the shirt waist suits--our best quality--36 inch at.....	18c

Come out in the mornings to do your shopping. The store will be less crowded and you will have better attention.

H. F. MICHAEL Co.

The sale begins Friday, January 19th, and continues until February 1st. Early buyers will get first choice.

\$4.98

Will secure any ladies' or misses' coat in our stock selling up to \$10.50. You remember that we showed nothing but new coats this season and we are determined not to carry any over until another season. The lot consists of some very pretty garments which will be splendid for another year's wear.

\$7.48

Will buy any ladies' or misses' coat in the store selling at \$12.50 or \$15.00. A misses' coat does not alter in style a great deal at any time and the ladies' coats are splendid specimens of the designers' art. You cannot invest your money in a better way if a new coat is needed next year.

\$9.98

Is all that is needed to buy any of our \$17.50, \$18.50 and \$19.50 coats. Every garment in this lot was received in November and the colors and styles are the very best. So good that you will never regret putting your money into one of these coats. Better ask to see them, hadn't you?



THE lid is to be put on at Wadena good and tight. The habit seems to be catching.

WILL the fact that Bryan has been made a "datto" in the Philippines help him in his aspiration for the presidency?

BRO. PEASE thinks after all it would be as well to have a republican governor next year. This opinion seems to be general in republican circles.

THE mayor of Bemidji has had his salary fixed at \$150 per year while the overworked aldermen will have to struggle along with but \$10 for the twelve months.

E. A. NELSON of Hallock desires the next republican state convention to give him the nomination of secretary of state. Nelson was state librarian under Van Sant.

Down in Kansas they get maplesyrup from the corn cobs and then grind the remaining pulp into a breakfast food which sells for ten cents a pound. The Kansas corn crop is a profitable one.

MORE politics will develop on the 15th and 16th of next month during the session of the Minnesota Editorial Association in Minneapolis than at any other time of the same length before the state convention. How much of it will mature is a different problem.

DULUTH expects to eclipse Pittsburg provided the new process of making charcoal from peat, just discovered in Germany, is a success. When the immense peat deposits in Northern Minnesota are converted into fuel to turn the iron of Minnesota into steel there will be no need of shipping the product to the far east to be manufactured and the money for the same can be spent with workingmen of the state that produces it. And while Duluth is developing into a Pittsburg Brainerd will develop into a city the size of Duluth.

THE Duluth News-Tribune publishes an article which it claims proves conclusively that the petition to congress by the Chippewa Indians commending the Minnesota forestry project is a forgery. Bishop James D. Morrison exposes the fraud and Rev. Charles T. Wright, Indian missionary, claims he had no part in signing or circulating the document. The fellow who undertook to forge all the names of the Chippewas to the document undertook quite a job, and now to be exposed after performing the work is certainly discouraging. An investigation by the government will follow.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Fred Hoffman left for St. Paul today. G. A. Davis left for the cities this afternoon.

H. E. Tolman, of St. Cloud, is at the Ransford.

L. D. Brown left for Little Falls this afternoon.

Chas. C. Opper arrived from Duluth this morning.

J. B. Arnold, of Duluth, is in the city on business.

A. G. Elliott left for Little Falls this afternoon on business.

Frank Guyette is home from Crookston for a few days visit.

J. J. Cummings left for Oskosh, Wis., this afternoon on business.

W. E. Winslow, of Minneapolis, is in the city today on business.

There will be a meeting of the members of Elk lodge this evening.

J. Baker and H. Mills, of the M. & L., returned from the north today.

C. D. Grinnols, of St. Cloud, was in the city this morning on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luken returned from the twin cities this afternoon.

Landlord Thos. Beare will leave tonight for Minneapolis on business.

Russell Cass, the mail carrier, is out again after a few days confinement with sickness.

The topic for this evening at the First M. E. church will be "Man's Reply to God's Question."

H. H. Blake, of Hackensack, passed through the city this afternoon en route to the twin cities.

Miss Rosemond Leland, who has been visiting in the city with Miss Louise Beare, returned to her home in Minneapolis this afternoon.

Mrs. E. D. Townsend, sister of Mrs. Thos. Beare, returned to her home in Minneapolis this afternoon after a pleasant visit in the city.

The Epworth League business meeting will be held after the service tonight in the church. This meeting was postponed from last night.

Harald Heide, the violin virtuoso, who is to appear at the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church tomorrow night arrived from Duluth this noon having played there at the Flaaten Auditorium to a full house.

Contractor Fred Krenz, of St. Cloud, returned from La Porte this afternoon where he secured a contract for installing the heating plant in the new school house building at that place. There were four other bidders, three of which were from Brainerd.

Rev. E. C. Clemens will preach in the Deerwood M. E. church Saturday January 27 at 7:30 p.m., and hold the second quarterly conference. He will also preach at Pointon's at 7:30 o'clock on January 29 and at Bay Lake at 7:30 o'clock on January 30. All are invited to attend these services.

It is expected that the services at the First M. E. church on tomorrow will be interesting. Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be service for women only and the topic will be "Women of Brainerd and the City's Life." In the evening there will be services for men only and the topic will be "The Men of Brainerd and the City's Future."

Beats the Music Cure.

"To keep the body in tune," writes Mrs. Mary Brown, 20 Lafayette Place, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. "I take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are the most reliable and pleasant laxative I have found." Best for the stomach, liver and bowels. Guaranteed by H. P. Dunn & Co., druggists. 25c.

Store your households good with D. M. Clark & Co.

Two million Americans suffer the torturing pangs of dyspepsia. No need to Burdock Blood Bitters cures. At any drug store.

Free To All Ministers.

I will send one bottle of Warner's White Wine of Tar—the best cough remedy on earth—free to all ministers who will recommend it to their friends after giving it a fair trial. Address, Dr. C. D. WARNER, Coldwater, Mich. For sale at Johnson's Pharmacy and H. P. Dunn & Co.

Terrible plagues, those itching, pestering diseases of the skin. Put an end to misery. Doan's Ointment cures. At any drug store.

THE DAILY DISPATCH brought to your door for only 40 cents per month

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

"ISLE OF SPICE."

Miss Ethel Tilson, the prima donna of the "Isle of Spice," soon to be seen in this city, is said to be the only woman breeder of Guinea pigs in the United States. She started in the squab business, but failing to make it pay, drifted into the raising of Guinea pigs, and now has 600 on hand.

CANTATA.

The "Golden Valley," cantata which is to be presented by the chorus of the Ladies' Musical, is based upon an old Basque legend at the close of the 11th century. Sir Hugh de Vaux, a brave young knight, who had distinguished himself in the religious wars of that time, was to return from the battle field to his ancestral home. Great preparations were made to celebrate the homecoming of the young knight. Foremost amongst those who were so planning was Sybil, the only daughter of a powerful Baron, to whom Sir Hugh was betrothed. Sybil wished to decorate the vast hall of the castle with a particular kind of wild flower, the yellow broom, to wit: this being the flower the similitude of which Sir Hugh bore on his shield as a crest, and, furthermore, that he had given her a bunch of these flowers as a keepsake on his departure for the Holy land. These flowers grew so plentifully in one part of her father's demesne that the spot was known as the "Golden Valley." Sybil and her companions set out for this spot and were busily gathering the flowers when a sudden tempest arose. The storm was so fierce that they fled for the nearest shelter with all possible haste. When the storm had abated it was found that Sybil was not with them. They searched everywhere for her with no result and were forced to return grief-stricken to the castle. Meanwhile, in their presence, Sir Hugh had arrived and hearing of the fate of his betrothed, at once set out with a numerous retinue to search for the missing maiden. It appears, the legend states, that the "Flower Fairies," of the "Golden Valley," incensed at the wholesale devastation of their dwelling, had seized upon Sybil and borne her away to a half ruined Monastery in the midst of a nearby forest. Day after day, Sir Hugh searched for the lost one without success. One day, wearied from long wanderings through the forest, he lay down to rest. He soon fell asleep and a vision appeared to him in the form of a Saracen maiden, whose life he had saved at the risk of his own in Palestine. She informed him of the whereabouts of Sybil and in whose power she was. He went at once to the Monastery and demanded her release, but was only mocked by the Flower Fairies, who were invisible. They told him that he and the maiden should never meet again. At this instant, from another part of the Monastery came the sounds of chanting by the Monks who were there located. At the mention of the words "Holy Cross," the fairies fled in terror and Sybil was forthwith released from durance and restored to her lover and her friends. This legend is sung on great occasions, by the maidens of the Basque Provinces when the "Yellow Broom" is in blossom.

PUPIL'S MUSICAL

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather the Concert by Prof. Bartsch's Class was Enjoyed

Last night Prof. Bartsch's pupils gave a piano recital in Elk hall assisted by Mrs. C. L. Burnett, Messrs. S. F. Alderman, William Graham and H. A. Lensrud, and without doubt the event was one of the most interesting in musical circles in a long time, and there was a good crowd present notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather. The pupils displayed wonderful talent, many of the young misses being unusually clever for their age. Prof. Bartsch is to be congratulated on the event. Space would not permit individual criticism of each member.

The following was the program:
Bohemian Air—Trio for Violin,.....
Cornet and Piano.....Cutter
Messrs. Lensrud, Graham, Bartsch,
Cheerfulness.....Leow
Florence Whitford
The Merry Mill.....Dubois
Alice Walker
Good Bye—Song without words. Andrus
Ruth Wicklund
Violin Solo, Mazur.....Mlynarski
H. A. Lensrud
Thine Own.....Lange
Eliza Armstrong
Peeping Crocus.....Sudds
Dolly Mahlum.
Valse Romantique.....Moskowski
Irma Johnson
Reading—Selected.....Mrs. C. L. Burnett
2nd Nocturne.....Leybach
Bessie Paine
Woodland and Rivulet.....Spindler
Hallie King
(a) "Noon and Night".....Hawley
(b) "When Love Is Done".....LacLean
Mr. S. F. Alderman
Caprice Elegant.....Lack
Miriam Hansen
Mazurka.....Leschetitzky
Hazel Treglawny
Cornet Solo, Grand Fantasia, The.....
Dream of Love.....Millars
(With Violin Obligato by H. A. Lensrud)
Wm. Graham
Nachtstuecke, No. 1.....Schumann
Miss Ethel Stickney
The Butterfly.....Lavalley
Miss Georgia Sherlund

GRAIN-GROWING CONTEST

Bulletin No. 2 on Rural School Agriculture Has Been Sent Out by Department of Agriculture

The department of agriculture of the University of Minnesota has sent out an interesting bulletin covering suggestions for grain-growing contests, rules for judging wheat, oats and corn and suggestions for crop rotations. These grain-growing contests are to be held throughout the state with the pupils in the public schools as contestants.

It is hoped by this means to interest the students and their parents in the production of better grain, with a consequent larger yield per acre, as well as to give to the students some important agricultural principles. The bulletin contains the general plan of the contest. The co-operation of students, teachers, superintendents and farmers is urged.

Pulmonary Consumption.

My wife has been troubled with weak lungs and was pronounced to be in the last stages of pulmonary consumption. She commenced taking White Wine of Tar and received relief at once and is now using the fourth bottle and her health is better than for many years. We cheerfully recommend it to all.

Rev. J. R. Fly,
Susan E. Fly.

Brookline Sta., Mo.
For sale at Johnson's Pharmacy and H. P. Dunn & Co.

IN A SOCIAL WAY

On Tuesday evening Miss May O'Brien entertained at cards and progressive "500" was played. There were five tables and Jay O'Brien won the head prize, a beautiful picture, and John Boyle the booby prize, a deck of congress playing cards.

Half the World Wonders

how the other half lives. Those who use Bucklen's Arnica Salve never wonder if it will cure cuts, wounds, burns, sores and all skin eruptions; they know it will. Mrs. Grant Shy, 1130 E. Reynolds St., Springfield, Ill., says: "I regard it one of the absolute necessities of housekeeping." Guaranteed by H. P. Dunn & Co., druggists. 25c.

WANTED—Young lady that can speak Scandinavian language to learn the photograph business. Marie A. Canan. 1926

Feel uneasy in the abdomen? That's the way it starts. Appendicitis. Take no chances but get Dr. Adler's Treatment, the great appendicitis preventative. Get it today. Johnson's Pharmacy.

CALE'S
Department Store

Some Sample Prices

A few of the goods we sell at Half Prices:

Ladies Hats
Ladies Belts
Corsets on Center Table

China Cup and Saucers
China Plates
Gold Band Glassware.

A Timely Offering of
Seasonable Goods.....

Perhaps you are not aware of the tempting prices we are making on seasonable serviceable goods:

With the Cold Weather just beginning this is an exceptional opportunity for buying winter clothing.

One third off on Ladies and Misses Cloaks, Men's and Boys Overcoats.

Heavy double blankets 53c 50c extra heavy ladies' underwear 42c
\$20.00 Ladies Cloak at \$13.35 \$15.00 Mens Fur Coats at \$10.00
\$16.50 " " \$11.00 \$12.00 " Overcoats " \$8.00
\$15.75 " " \$10.50 \$6.00 " " \$4.00
\$12.00 " " \$8.00 \$7.00 Boys " \$4.70
\$8.50 " " \$5.67 \$4.50 " " \$3.00
\$3.75 Misses " " \$2.50 \$3.50 " " \$2.35

GROCERIES

Sugar Granulated 20 lbs. \$1.00 Tea Dust per lb. 10c
Flour, 1st patent per 100 lbs. \$2.25 Swift's Pride Soap 40 bars \$1.00
Feed, 80 lb sack for. 75c Table syrup, in your jugs per gallon. 30c
Package Coffee per lb. 16c Hand Picked Navy Beans, ready for the kettle 8 lbs for. 25c

Yours for Business

L. J. CALE

JUST THINK OF IT!

HIGH GRADE

Suits and Clothing

—AT—

Actual Cost
FOR CASH

This is not a sale of Out-of-date, shop-worn goods, but of NEW GOODS of the very latest styles that we do not desire to carry over to another season. Our inventory show we are overstocked, and we intend to sacrifice these Strictly New Goods to turn them into cash.

What We lose you
Gain

It will pay you to BUY NOW for another season. Get into the game at once.

John Carlson.

BANE'S

Apples, per peck..... 25c
Oranges, per peck..... 50c

White Grapes, Bananas, Oranges, Lemons, Grape Fruit, Dates, Figs, Nuts, and Candies of all kinds.

Fine Teas and Coffee, if you use them once you will be a regular customer as they are always the same and fresh from the roaster prices from 15 to 40c

MEAT MARKET

Try Bane's little pig farm sausages, per pound..... 15c

Spare Ribs, Pork Tender Loins, Beef, Veal, Mutton and Pork.

We slice the Swift Premium Cooked Hams also Swifts Premium Smoked Hams, they have a flavor that beats them all.

WOOD YARD

Pine and Tamarac stove wood and cord wood delivered anywhere. at

BANE'S

Busy Store

ANOTHER SHAFT ON TABER PLACE

To be Sunk by Oreland Mining
Company is the Latest Iron
News Given Out

LARGE NUMBER OF TRANSFERS

It is Estimated Million Dollars will
Exchange Hands in Next
Ninety Days

The iron ore news from the Cuyuna range is given out by the large interests with great reluctance and it is therefore difficult to get at what is going on until actual movements are made along certain lines. A rumor is out today that a shaft will be sunk at once on the Jacob Taber place about three miles east of the city. This is the property that was the first to be bought in connection with iron ore production or prospects and when Mr. Taber got \$600 an acre for a forty a year or two ago, people around Brainerd would not believe it, when the facts were proven it was even intimated that it was a wild cat mining scheme. Since then great interests have come in until everything, every parcel of land along the line of the Cuyuna range, has either been optioned, leased or transferred. This latest rumor regarding a shaft on the Taber place comes from good authority. The land is owned by the Oreland Mining company and they have a large amount of holdings on the range besides this. As an indication of how the value in mining stock on the Cuyuna range is going it might be stated that the stock in the Oreland company was sold when the company was organized for \$10 a share. Not a long time ago some of the stock was sold at Duluth for \$70 a share.

Within the past week or ten days it is estimated that no less than fifty transfers have been made, but of course many of these have not been recorded yet. There is a well authenticated rumor that the Peter Stendal place has been optioned and many others in this vicinity.

Representatives of the United States Steel company, Pickands-Mather company, the Oreland people and the Merritts, besides a large number of other individuals are constantly on the ground now and one man said yesterday, who is posted, that it was thought that the transfers in reality on account of the good prospects would probably reach a million dollars in ninety days.

"Little Colds" neglected—thousands of lives sacrificed every year. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures little colds—cures big cold too, down to the very verge of consumption.

ANNUAL REPORT

Of Sunday School Missionary Walter
Smith Contains Some Very Interest-
ing Figures

Walter Smith, missionary for this district for the American Sunday School Union, has prepared his annual report and it contains some rather interesting figures. The follow is taken from the report:

No. Sunday Schools started 43, total teachers 135, scholars 1,018, scholars brought into existing schools 25, total children reached 1,013. Sunday Schools visited and aided 80, visits to families 840, sermons and addresses 108, Bibles and Testaments distributed 125, Sunday School supplies sold and given, \$94.68, papers, magazines, etc., distributed 500, young people induced to attend high school, college or seminary 7, professed conversions 23, prayer meeting established 1, preaching station opened for pastors 10, churches developed from the work 1.

SAYS HE IS MISTAKEN

Supt. Judd Wright's Figures Were the
Same as President Tighe's Relative
To Water Company Receipts

Supt. Judd Wright, of the Minnesota Water Works company, after reading the communication from A. Ousdahl, in answer to President Tighe, stated that he did not care to enter into the controversy, but wished to make one correction wherein Mr. Ousdahl stated that there was a discrepancy between the amount of receipts given by President Tighe and those given by Mr. Wright. "If Mr. Ousdahl had looked closely," said Supt. Wright, "he would have seen that there was no difference between the figures I gave him and those given by Mr. Tighe. Mr. Tighe gave the receipts of the plant as something like \$17,000 or \$18,000, from the railroad company and consumers and if Mr. Ousdahl will read again he will find that the hydrant rental, amounting to about \$6,000, was not included in this statement, while in the statement I gave him I did include the hydrant rental which would bring the figures up to \$23,800."

A Modern Miracle.

"Truly miraculous seemed the recovery of Mrs. Mollie Holt of this place," writes J. O. K. Hooper, Woodford, Tenn., "she was so wasted by coughing up phlegm from her lungs. Doctors declared her end so near that her family had watched by her bedside forty-eight hours; when, at my urgent request Dr. King's New Discovery was given her, with the astonishing result that improvement began, and continued until she finally completely recovered, and is a healthy woman today." Guaranteed cure for coughs and colds. 50c and \$1.00 at H. P. Dunn & Co., druggists. Trial bottle free.

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Wheat No 1.....	\$.74
" No 2.....	.71 1/2
" No 3.....	.68 1/2
" No 4.....	.64 1/2
" Rejected.....	.60 1/2
" Macaroni No 1.....	.58
" do No 2.....	.57
Oats, white.....	.29
" No 3.....	.23
" N G.....	.22
Flax, No 1.....	1.08
" No 2.....	1.06
" N G.....	1.00
Rye, No 2.....	.49
" No 3.....	.46
" N G.....	.42

Steers, live.....	2.50 to 3.00
Cows, live.....	2.25 to 2.50
Veal, dressed.....	6.00 to 6.50
Hogs.....	4.75 to 5.00
" dressed.....	5.00 to 5.50
Mutton.....	5.00 to 6.00
" dressed.....	7.00 to 8.00
Chickens, spring.....	.09
" dressed.....	.11
" hens.....	.08
" dressed.....	.11
Turkeys.....	12 1/2 to .15
" dressed.....	.18
Hides.....	.09
Dairy butter.....	.25
Eggs.....	.30
Wild hay, \$6 to \$8 per ton.	
Timothy and clover \$8 to \$10 per ton.	

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For a good old soul was he,
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Had he taken Rocky Mountain Tea

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The chances for living a full century are excellent in the case of Mrs. Jennie Duncan, of Haynesville, Me., now 70 years old. She writes: "Electric Bitters cured me of chronic dyspepsia of 20 years standing, and made me feel as well and strong as a young girl." Electric Bitters cure stomach and liver diseases, blood disorders, general debility and bodily weakness. Sold on a guarantee at H. P. Dunn & Co's. drug store. Price only 50c.

Nettleton Loans Money on Farms.

THOSE WHO PAY TAXES

The following is the list of personal
property taxpayers of the county with
the amount of their taxes for the year
1906:

LONG LAKE.	
Anderson J W.....	5 05
Anderson A.....	2 84
Armstead C I.....	1 74
Armstrong Andrew.....	2 88
Albertson P J.....	1 89
Albertson C J.....	4 87
Bruesen Oliver.....	2 84
Bonck John.....	2 65
Betzold Phillip.....	7 52
Crosby Norman.....	2 30
Chisholm J E.....	5 34
Cordes Chas.....	10
Craven J.....	4 82
Carlo Jeff.....	09
Carlson Gust.....	1 36
Devlin C W.....	5 57
Dickson Wm.....	30
Drake M D.....	2 13
Drace Wm.....	1 14
Erickson John.....	5 91
Erickson Gus.....	2 04
Eschenbacher Geo.....	5 87
Engel John.....	35
Engel Ernest.....	5 56
Elder J M.....	13 47
Fenstermacher E.....	70
Favron A.....	97
Furhop Otto.....	2 50
Frish Oscar.....	1 70
Frederickson S.....	4 84
Gmahl Andrew.....	3 49
Gelov P E.....	1 93
Gage C H.....	4 00
Gildart Wm.....	1 90
Gage A W.....	29
Garron L.....	2 49
Gibb John.....	3 52
Handeland John.....	1 21
Hanson John.....	1 60
Hogan Hannah.....	5 64
Houie Jos.....	3 36
Hultin Mary.....	2 22
Hart R.....	5 56
Hanson Soren.....	4 35
Hauker Hans.....	1 83
Huey H C.....	7 41
Henningson Paul.....	5 69
Harvey F C.....	74
Johain Chas.....	37
Juline Gust.....	86
Jensen Jacob.....	2 25
Jensen Jens.....	7 17
Kleinschmidt E.....	8 35
Koppel John.....	2 52
Kyllingstad Fred.....	3 00
Lamont Alice.....	3 74
Lindberg A S.....	5 78
LaFamme R.....	4 04
LaFond C.....	2 79
Lindskog M.....	3 35
Larson Ludvig.....	2 49
Madson.....	2 48
Madson Peter.....	4 90
Mustonen Peter.....	3 85
Myers Ben.....	7 16
Mahlstrom Chas.....	1 07
Mahlstrom Fred.....	2 19
Maust C F.....	3 59
Nesheim K J.....	3 31
Nesheim Jacob.....	29
Otis H G.....	05
Oberg Chas.....	1 90
Olson Andrew.....	2 34
Olson Ole.....	2 79
Paulson T.....	1 73
Paulson Sever.....	2 62
Potter Robert.....	8 04
Peterson Chas J.....	2 16
Palmquist J.....	3 83
Peterson Wm.....	3 96
Peterson Peter.....	1 55
Peersen John A.....	3 62
Peterson Adolph.....	2 32
Paulson Emil.....	38
Paulson Louis.....	2 29
Roscoe Joseph.....	2 66
Rasmussen Julia.....	2 49
Romberg A.....	14
Raus S.....	4 18
Sandgren John.....	1 61
Smart J F.....	1 66
Smart Wallace.....	2 09
Singclair A L.....	80
Sutton H D.....	1 19
Soderlund John.....	3 49
Samuelson Aug.....	3 49
Soderman Gust.....	1 26
Stedfeldt Henry.....	3 01
Parلمان N.....	2 38
Thompson Wm.....	1 39
Thompson Lucile.....	12
Tugas Jos.....	1 75
Taylor P S.....	2 40
Thilander Oscar.....	1 91
Thompson T O.....	3 66
Weber Anton.....	9 51
Weber John.....	89
Wheeler Carl.....	3 98
Widbor Wm.....	1 53
Wieland Henry.....	1 71
Wohlfiater H.....	1 38
Weimer E C.....	91
Wheeler C W.....	99
Weller A P.....	99

KLOSDIKE.	
Atkin L P.....	2 99
Anderson Carl.....	93
Ackman H R.....	1 21
Anderson Hans.....	4 17
Aune Ole.....	1 26
Aune Andrew.....	2 09
Aune Louis.....	70
Blomberg Frank.....	69
Bradley H M.....	5 84
Bloomquist John.....	53
Berggren E.....	2 67
Bjorres L.....	1 64
Carlson August.....	3 77
Carlson Louis.....	2 21
Coleman Colvert.....	1 34
Dag Arthur.....	16
Doble John F.....	1 50
Edwards Henry.....	3 52
Emis Anton.....	1 61
Ekman Christine.....	1 31
Togleson Ole.....	54
Frazier Joe.....	76
Gilbert Fred.....	51
Gullberg Oscar.....	3 74
Gustafson C S.....	2 67
Hunter Emily.....	2 46
Horn Geo.....	8 55
Hanson John G.....	33
Hanson Emil.....	1 72
Iverson N.....	1 32
Johnson Walter.....	1 83
Jacobson Victor.....	2 62
Johnson Emil.....	1 58
Jacobson Albert.....	1 20
Jane Ernest.....	3 05
Kilgiver Geo.....	1 05
Lound E P.....	1 38
Leibold Albert.....	57
Mayer John.....	5 97
Markwardt F W.....	5 53
Miller H J.....	3 70
Mattson J E.....	2 07
Nygren P J.....	1 61
Nygaard Minnie.....	13 43
Oswold Chas.....	2 72

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Cashmeres
Silk Warp Mohairs
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All McCall Patterns including ladies, misses and children's underwear.

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\$20.00 {		\$6.00 { Boys' Overcoats {	\$3.75
\$18.00 {		\$4.50 { Boys' Overcoats {	\$3.00
\$15.00 { Men's Suits {	\$9.75	\$3.00 { Boys' Overcoats {	\$2.00
\$12.50 {		\$5.00 { Boys' Suits {	\$3.85
\$10.00 { Men's Suits {	\$7.25	\$4.00 { Boys' Suits {	\$3.00
\$ 8.50 {		\$3.00 { Boys' Suits {	\$2.25
\$24.00 { Men's Overcoats {	\$17.50		
\$23.00 {			
\$22.00 { Men's Overcoats {	\$14.75		
\$20.00 {			
\$18.00 {			
\$15.00 { Men's Overcoats {	\$11.50		

I have a good assortment of Suits and Overcoats left, and can fit most anybody wishing a Suit of Clothes or an Overcoat. I assure you these are prices that will interest you if you take time to look. Remember—

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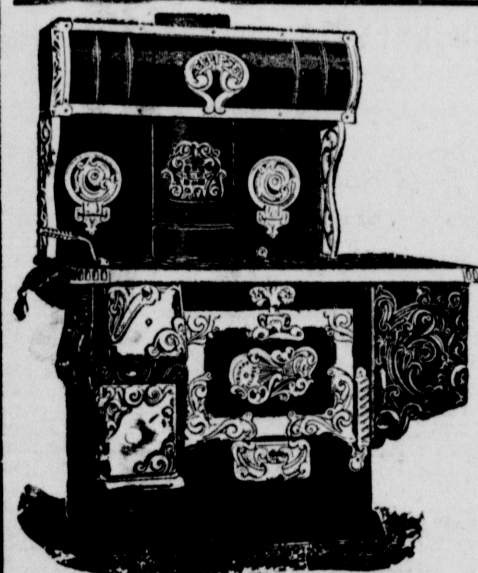
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CASE OF MRS. MORRIS

BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF
THE SENATE BY MR. TILLMAN
OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

EMPHATICALLY DENOUNCED

EJECTION OF WOMAN FROM THE
WHITE HOUSE THE SUBJECT
OF BITTER COMMENT.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The recent forcible removal from the White House of Mrs. Minor Morris was made the subject of emphatic denunciation by Mr. Tillman in the senate during the day. His remarks called out remonstrances from Messrs. Hale, Hopkins and Daniel and led to the very abrupt closing of the doors and the sudden adjournment of the senate in the middle of the afternoon.

The speech abounded in Mr. Tillman's peculiar expressions and was characterized by many severe and exceptionally personal thrusts at the president. At times he wept over what he regarded as the indignities to the lady and his voice was broken and his eyes were filled with tears when he declared in the face of protests from his fellow senators that he would demand an investigation of the White House incident.

The reference to the treatment of Mrs. Morris constituted the later half of a speech based upon the senator's resolution making inquiry of the president concerning the status of our relations with the republic of Santo Domingo and was added to illustrate his theory that the present administration is tending towards imperialism.

Would Lead to Complications.

In the first part of the address he characterized the course of the United States in Santo Domingo as a great extension of the Monroe doctrine and said that if pursued the policy would lead the country into many serious complications. He accused the president of putting the treaty into execution in the face of the senate's refusal to act, denounced the senate as willing to submit subserviently to all that is asked of it and implored senators to show their independence and thus teach the executive a lesson and at the same time serve the country.

With reference to the Morris incident he declared that the president had been derelict in failing to punish his subordinates for their course and quoted statements from persons said to be witnesses to show that the proceeding had been inhuman. He formally presented and said that he would later formally present a resolution for an investigation of the entire incident.

It was the introduction of this resolution that called out the protest from Senator Daniel, while Mr. Hale objected to the presentation of the matter at all except upon proof. Mr. Tillman declared his determination not to be guided by their advice and closed with the reiteration of his determination to bring in the resolution.

The announcement caused a number of hurried conferences and it is understood that as a result of them Mr. Tillman will be urged not to carry out his purpose. Prominent senators on both sides said that the resolution would command few votes.

HOUSE PASSES PENSION BILLS.

Big Batch of Them Put Through in Short Order.

Washington, Jan. 18.—In a session of two and a half hours the house took favorable action on 166 pension bills. Under the rules the bills are considered the first time in committee of the whole, after which they are formally passed by the house. The whole number was put through the latter course by speaker Cannon in just eleven minutes. Forty-two of the beneficiaries are blind and sixty-eight are paralyzed.

State Senator in Prison.

San Quentin, Cal., Jan. 18.—Former State Senator Harry Bunkers, convicted of receiving a bribe, was brought to the state prison here during the day and at once began to serve his sentence of five years' imprisonment.

ELECT CHAMBERLAIN

VOTERS OF BIRMINGHAM SHOW
THEIR UNABATED CONFI-
DENCE IN HIM.

RESULT PROVES SURPRISING

ALL OF CHAMBERLAIN'S CANDI-
DATES IN HIS HOME CITY
ARE RETURNED.

London, Jan. 18.—The most prominent feature of the day's election returns is the wholly unexpected stand made by Birmingham. Not only were all of Joseph Chamberlain's seven candidates returned, but Mr. Chamberlain himself secured a majority of 5,000, while the majority of the others averaged 3,000.

Even allowing that the Liberal candidates were not very strong, as the seats were practically uncontested at the last general election, and though the Liberal organization was not as good as in other parts of the country, the results at Birmingham are of the highest importance. They prove the groundlessness of the Liberal contention that this general election has killed the fiscal agitation for a general election to come. Besides showing the unabated confidence of Birmingham in Mr. Chamberlain the results there go also to confirm what already had been noticed in isolated contests, that the candidates who openly professed protectionist leanings had good support and in some cases were victorious.

The outcome at Birmingham affords a striking contrast. While Mr. Balfour stands discredited as a leader, with his supporters all swallowed up and himself angrily criticised from his own side, Mr. Chamberlain issues from the contest with flying colors. His courage to a large extent justifies him to persevere in his agitation and he is in a position to argue that it was Mr. Balfour's timidity which lost the campaign.

Predicted the Result.

A considerable section of the Unionists on the protectionist side had predicted some such result and it is now hinted that the party must in future look toward Birmingham for hope and guidance.

It is too late for the results at Birmingham to have any great effect on the campaign as a whole.

Many of the day's polls will not be declared for some hours yet, but those published so far show that the Liberal tide still runs strong. London has gone distinctly Liberal, no less than twelve seats showing Liberal gains. While the total gains of the Liberals for the day number twenty-two the Unionists have made only one solitary gain. Viscount Castlereagh having wrested the seat from the Liberals at Maidstone. Portsmouth, which had previously been represented by two Unionists, has elected two Liberals and this despite the fact that a fifth candidate, a Laborite, threatened to split the Liberal vote. The Laborite, however, came third with a very large vote, the Unionists being at the bottom of the list.

The members already elected are distributed as follows: Liberals, 167; Unionists, 75; Laborites, 31; Nationalists, 50.

Of the twenty-three London seats polled during the day sixteen were won by the Liberals, twelve of them being net gains.

Sir A. Conan Doyle, who ran in the Unionist interest for Harwick, Scotland, has been defeated.

IMMIGRATION LAWS BROKEN.

Official Report Severe in Its Strictures
on Italy and Hungary.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The report of Immigrant Inspector Marcus Braun was received by the house during the day. It is severe in its strictures on the governments of Italy and Hungary.

"Not a promise of the Hungarian immigrant law has been kept," he says. He asserts that \$50,000,000 has been sent from the United States to Hungary by immigrants. According to the report Hungarians and Italians are encouraged to refrain from becoming American citizens and urged to adhere to the principles of their home governments. Hungarians are advised to establish their own schools, churches, etc., to avoid the "terrible danger" of becoming naturalized in this country.

Mr. Braun says that while the number of aliens shipped to this country who are inadmissible on account of disease is diminishing, immigrants inadmissible for other reasons are constantly brought into this country in large numbers, "by the concerted action of some European governments and steamship agencies, by bankers and schemers of all sorts," in violation of all immigration laws.

TO STOP CRIME IN CHICAGO.

Five Hundred Patrolmen to Be Added
to Police Force.

Chicago, Jan. 18.—In an effort to stop the wave of crime which has become epidemic in Chicago, 500 patrolmen are to be added to the police department. This recommendation was made during the day by the city council's committee, which was appointed Monday night to investigate the failure of the police department to give the proper protection to life and property.

MUSTERING THEIR STRENGTH.

Political Parties of Russia Preparing
for Campaign.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 18.—The holiday truce in Russian politics is over and the new political parties are mustering their strength for Russia's first all-important electoral campaign. The opening guns will be fired during the day when the delegates of the Constitutional Democrats will be assembled to discuss their elaborate platform. This party represents the advanced liberal opinions of the zemstvo majority and the platform will closely follow the resolutions of the last zemstvo congress. The allied moderate parties, which are standing on the basis of the manifesto of Oct. 30, will also be early in the field. There will be a conference of the leaders from various parts of the empire here this week. This coalition, which embraces the party of law and order, the Octoberists and five lesser factions, has chosen the name of Constitutional Monarchists and will nominate candidates in common, realizing that singly they are too weak to meet the well organized Constitutional Democrats or even the Social Democrats and Social revolutionists.

Though officially they are on record as being in favor of boycotting the national assembly and continuing the armed revolt they have awakened to the necessity for securing a representation in the coming national assembly and are concentrating their attention on securing a full registration from the labor, professional and socialistic organizations.

During the holidays the pacification of the country has been steadily going forward. By an unsparing use of the military and wholesale arrests of the leaders of the fighting organizations the revolutionists have been driven under ground and have been forced to return to their old methods of assassination. Not a day passes without reports of the murder of obnoxious officials in several cities. So far St. Petersburg has escaped owing to the demoralization of the terrorists here and the activity of the police.

In addition to the Caucasus and a few localities in Siberia the open revolt is now chiefly confined to small islands off the Baltic coast, where the difficulty of landing troops hampers the subjugation of the revolutionists.

TWELVE DIE AT SEA

ONLY ONE OF THE PARTY ON
BOARD THE SCHOONER STE-
VENSON IS RESCUED.

Savannah, Ga., Jan. 18.—Adrift on a gangplank from 9 o'clock last Saturday morning until 5 o'clock Monday afternoon without food or water, Summer, the only known surviving member of a party of thirteen people aboard the four-masted schooner Robert H. Stevenson, was picked up by the German steamer Europa, bound from Philadelphia for Savannah, Monday afternoon in latitude 34.58 north, longitude 35.52 west, and brought to Savannah during the day. Besides the ship's crew, there were four women aboard, the wife of the captain, two relatives and a colored servant, all going to Havana on a pleasure trip.

The Stevenson, loaded with coal, sailed from Philadelphia Jan. 8 for Havana. Captain Higsbee was in charge with First Mate Lewis.

Summer says the schooner grounded on Diamond shoals. All save four seamen, himself included, took to the boats, one boat being smashed and the first mate and two men being drowned. This fate he witnessed. He thinks the others capsized.

The schooner was 1,065 tons register and owned in Boston.

FARMER UNDER ARREST.

Accused of Having Assaulted and Mur-
dered His Stepdaughter.

Mount Holly, N. J., Jan. 18.—Albert L. Jones, a farmer living near Rancocas Park, about four miles from here, was arrested at night and lodged in the county jail on the charge of having assaulted and murdered his stepdaughter, Mary Clark, about three weeks ago. The girl was nine years of age and it is alleged that when she threatened to make public his assault upon her, Jones choked her to death, then tied a heavy stone to her body and threw it into the Rancocas creek. Jones' wife was also arrested, charged with complicity in the crime.

Franklin's Natal Day.

Philadelphia, Jan. 18.—This city, in which Benjamin Franklin spent most of his long and useful life, during the day fittingly commemorated the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of the great philosopher. The celebration was of unusual magnitude, as all the public schools, many churches, societies and institutions united in observing Franklin's natal day.

Shattuck Cadet Killed.

Faribault, Minn., Jan. 18.—In an accident at Shattuck military school B. Graves, a cadet, was almost instantly killed when trying to steer a coasting sled around a sharp curve. Fred Peterson, eighteen years old, of the second oral class at the deaf and dumb school, had a leg broken. The sled struck a tree.

Monsignore Ravoux Dead.

St. Paul, Jan. 18.—Monsignore Augustine Ravoux, ninety-one years old, the oldest Catholic priest in the Northwest and probably the oldest white settler in Minnesota, died at St. Joseph's hospital at 12:30 p. m.

KILLS SEVEN PERSONS

NEW HAMPSHIRE FARMER SUP-
POSED TO HAVE MURDERED
HIS FAMILY.

SLAYER ENDS HIS OWN LIFE

BODIES OF VICTIMS BURNED IN
FIRE WHICH DESTROYED
THEIR HOME.

Pembroke, N. H., Jan. 18.—Seven persons, all members of the family of Charles M. Ayers, are supposed to have perished in a fire which destroyed Ayers' farmhouse near here during the day. The bodies of a child and of Ayers' mother-in-law have been found in the ruins. Mrs. Ayers and four children are missing and it is feared that they, too, are victims of the fire.

Late in the day Ayers was found in a dying condition on the North Ford turnpike in the town of Chichester. There was a bullet wound in the head, apparently self-inflicted.

The county solicitor of Merrimack county said later that there is little doubt that the seven persons had been murdered and the house set on fire.

The theory of the county authorities is that Ayers was the murderer, but up to a late hour they had been unable to find any evidence to indicate the methods employed to wipe out the family. Whether the victims were shot or killed by other means cannot be told at present. The victims of the tragedy are:

Charles F. Ayer, aged forty-three, killed himself by shooting; Mrs. Adie Ayer, his wife; Mrs. Isaac Lake-man, Ayers' mother-in-law; Flossie Ayer, aged twelve; Alfred Ayer, aged ten; Bernice Ayer, aged six; Andrew Ayer, aged four, and a girl baby, all children of the Ayers.

The fire occurred about 9 o'clock in the morning and Ayer drove up to the home of his sister, Mrs. George Bailey, in the town of Chichester, about six miles from his home, just after 10 o'clock. He remained at Mrs. Bailey's place during the afternoon and when informed that his buildings had been burned manifested some agitation. A moment later he drew a revolver, and, pointing it at his right temple, fired and fell unconscious. He died at night.

Ayer had not been held in high esteem by his neighbors. He was obliged to rely upon his wife's relatives for support.

One of the theories advanced is that a dispute concerning the Lakeman property led to the tragedy.

CLEMENT FILES AN APPEAL.

Minnesota Banker Would Carry His
Case to Federal Appellate Court.

St. Louis, Jan. 18.—Thomas B. Clement, former president of the First National bank of Faribault, Minn., who was convicted on charges of embezzlement and sentenced last July to three years in the penitentiary, during the day filed an appeal in the United States court of appeals.

BLIZZARD IN THE NORTHWEST.

Heavy Fall of Snow Seriously Delays
Traffic.

St. Paul, Jan. 18.—The worst blizzard of the winter prevails over Central and Western Wisconsin, extending from the southern part of the state to the Head of the Lakes. A high wind is drifting the snow badly and traffic is seriously delayed.

Some portions of Minnesota and the eastern half of North Dakota also report severe snow storms, especially at Duluth, Faribault and Fargo.

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3:00 Fargo	Ar. 11:25
3:05 Smiley	Lv. 11:18
3:18 Pequot	Ar. 11:05
3:25 Jenkins	Lv. 10:58
3:30 Pine River	Ar. 10:45
3:45 Wildred	Lv. 10:37
3:57 Backus	Ar. 10:26
4:13 Hackensack	Lv. 10:07
4:25 Wadena	Ar. 9:58
5:02 Kabeokan	Lv. 9:15
5:13 Laporte	Ar. 9:07
5:26 Guthrie	Lv. 8:53
5:37 Nary	Ar. 8:42
6:10 Bemidji	Lv. 8:29
6:25 Mississipp	Ar. 7:13
6:35 Turtle River	Lv. 7:42
6:40 Farley	Ar. 7:38
6:51 Tenstrike	Lv. 7:27
7:10 Blackduck	Ar. 7:10
7:25 Funkley	Lv. 6:55
7:30 P. M. Hougt	Ar. 6:49 A. M.
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